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Key indicators

Single-crystal X-ray study

$T = 293\text{ K}$

Mean $\sigma(\text{C}—\text{C}) = 0.005\text{ Å}$

R factor = 0.025

wR factor = 0.058

Data-to-parameter ratio = 13.4

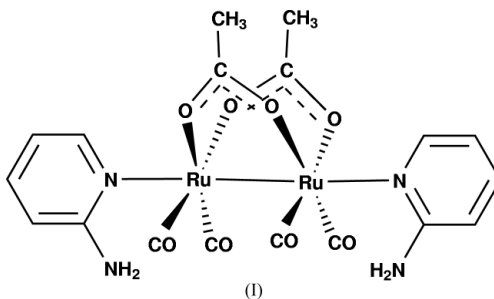
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Di- μ -acetato- $\kappa^4\text{O}:\text{O}'$ -tetracarbonylbis(pyridyl-2-yl- κN -amine)diruthenium(I) ($\text{Ru}—\text{Ru}$)

The structure of the title compound, $[\text{Ru}_2(\text{C}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2)_2(\text{C}_5\text{H}_6\text{N}_2)_2(\text{CO})_4]$, consists of a 'sawhorse' diruthenium complex with two acetate bridges and two 2-aminopyridine ligands in the axial positions, coordinating *via* the pyridine N atoms. A double-stranded hydrogen-bonded chain is formed *via* intra- and intermolecular hydrogen bonds involving the amine groups, one O atom of both acetate groups and two carbonyl O atoms.

Comment

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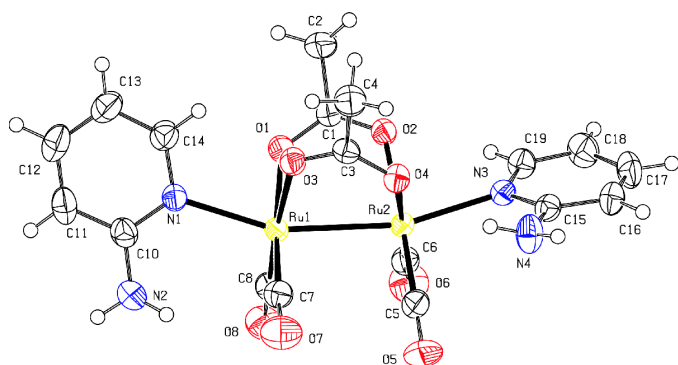


Figure 1
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Crystal data

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Triclinic, $P\bar{1}$	Mo $K\alpha$ radiation
$a = 9.3027(15) \text{ \AA}$	Cell parameters from 23 reflections
$b = 9.952(2) \text{ \AA}$	$\theta = 14.0\text{--}16.8^\circ$
$c = 12.474(3) \text{ \AA}$	$\mu = 1.42 \text{ mm}^{-1}$
$\alpha = 83.82(2)^\circ$	$T = 293(2) \text{ K}$
$\beta = 78.925(17)^\circ$	Block, yellow
$\gamma = 76.881(15)^\circ$	$0.34 \times 0.34 \times 0.19 \text{ mm}$
$V = 1101.3(4) \text{ \AA}^3$	

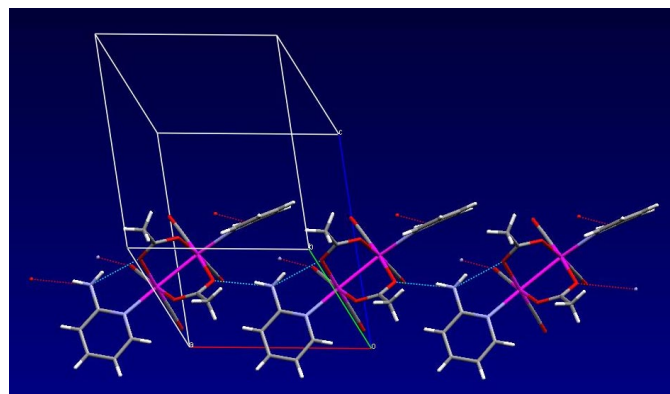


Figure 2
A view of part of the crystal packing of (I), showing the formation of the hydrogen-bonded chain along the *a* axis (hydrogen bonds are represented by dashed blue lines).

Data collection

Stoe AED-2 four-circle diffractometer	3678 reflections with $I > 2\sigma(I)$
$2\theta/\omega$ scans	$\theta_{\text{max}} = 25.5^\circ$
Absorption correction: refined from ΔF (DELREFABS in PLATON; Spek, 2003)	$h = -10 \rightarrow 11$
$T_{\text{min}} = 0.363$, $T_{\text{max}} = 0.764$	$k = -11 \rightarrow 12$
4092 measured reflections	$l = 0 \rightarrow 15$
4092 independent reflections	3 standard reflections
	frequency: 60 min
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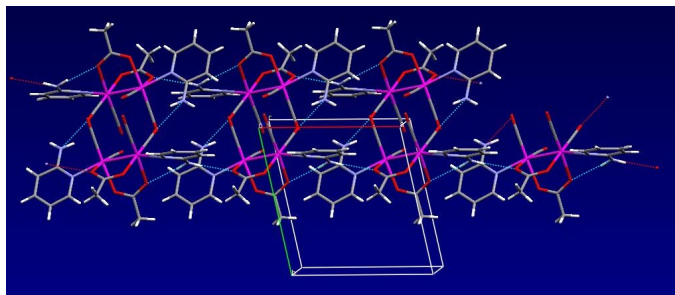
Refinement

Refinement on F^2	$w = 1/[\sigma^2(F_o^2) + (0.0207P)^2 + 1.3224P]$
$R[F^2 > 2\sigma(F^2)] = 0.025$	where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
$wR(F^2) = 0.058$	$(\Delta/\sigma)_{\text{max}} = 0.001$
$S = 1.12$	$\Delta\rho_{\text{max}} = 0.42 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$
4092 reflections	$\Delta\rho_{\text{min}} = -0.38 \text{ e \AA}^{-3}$
305 parameters	
H atoms treated by a mixture of independent and constrained refinement	

Table 1

Selected geometric parameters (Å, °).

Ru1–C8	1.833 (3)	Ru2–C6	1.830 (3)
Ru1–C7	1.834 (4)	Ru2–C5	1.837 (4)
Ru1–O1	2.131 (2)	Ru2–O2	2.127 (2)
Ru1–O3	2.132 (2)	Ru2–O4	2.133 (2)
Ru1–N1	2.267 (3)	Ru2–N3	2.243 (3)
Ru1–Ru2	2.6756 (7)		
C8–Ru1–C7	90.59 (15)	C6–Ru2–C5	88.00 (16)
C8–Ru1–O1	95.02 (12)	C6–Ru2–O2	94.91 (13)
C7–Ru1–O1	173.35 (12)	C5–Ru2–O2	176.54 (13)
C8–Ru1–O3	175.45 (12)	C6–Ru2–O4	176.91 (12)
C7–Ru1–O3	91.21 (12)	C5–Ru2–O4	95.01 (13)
O1–Ru1–O3	82.94 (9)	O2–Ru2–O4	82.06 (9)
C8–Ru1–N1	98.68 (12)	C6–Ru2–N3	93.14 (13)
C7–Ru1–N1	102.03 (13)	C5–Ru2–N3	98.45 (13)
O1–Ru1–N1	80.68 (9)	O2–Ru2–N3	83.27 (9)
O3–Ru1–N1	85.03 (9)	O4–Ru2–N3	87.11 (9)
C8–Ru1–Ru2	93.73 (10)	C6–Ru2–Ru1	94.75 (11)
C7–Ru1–Ru2	93.02 (11)	C5–Ru2–Ru1	95.08 (11)
O1–Ru1–Ru2	83.07 (6)	O2–Ru2–Ru1	82.83 (6)
O3–Ru1–Ru2	82.01 (6)	O4–Ru2–Ru1	84.31 (6)
N1–Ru1–Ru2	160.31 (7)	N3–Ru2–Ru1	164.55 (7)
O1–Ru1–Ru2–O2	16.05 (9)	O3–Ru1–Ru2–O4	14.93 (9)

**Figure 3**

A view of the formation of the double-stranded hydrogen-bonded chain in (I), extending in the *a* direction (hydrogen bonds are represented by dashed blue lines).

Table 2

Hydrogen-bonding geometry (Å, °).

<i>D</i> —H... <i>A</i>	<i>D</i> —H	H... <i>A</i>	<i>D</i> ... <i>A</i>	<i>D</i> —H... <i>A</i>
N2—H21...O8 ⁱ	0.880 (19)	2.60 (2)	3.461 (4)	166 (4)
N2—H22...O5 ⁱⁱ	0.865 (19)	2.39 (3)	3.031 (5)	132 (3)
N4—H41...O1 ⁱⁱⁱ	0.874 (18)	2.17 (2)	3.032 (4)	171 (3)
N4—H42...O4	0.882 (19)	2.24 (3)	3.050 (4)	152 (3)

Symmetry codes: (i) $1 - x, -y, 1 - z$; (ii) $2 - x, -y, 1 - z$; (iii) $1 + x, y, z$.

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Data collection: *STADIA* (Stoe & Cie, 1997); cell refinement: *STADIA*; data reduction: *X-RED* (Stoe & Cie, 1997); program(s) used to solve structure: *SHELXS97* (Sheldrick, 1990); program(s) used to refine structure: *SHELXL97* (Sheldrick, 1997); molecular graphics: *PLATON* (Spek, 2003) and *MERCURY* (Bruno *et al.*, 2002); software used to prepare material for publication: *SHELXL97*.

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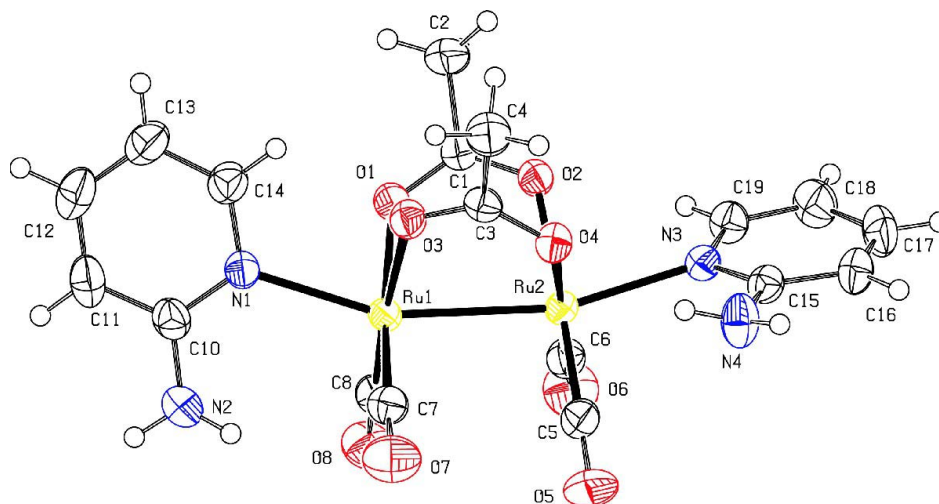


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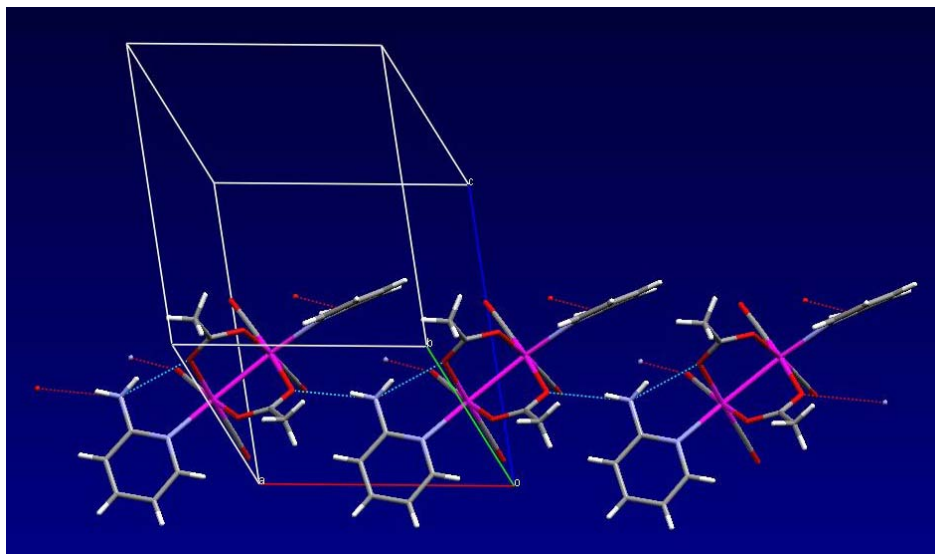
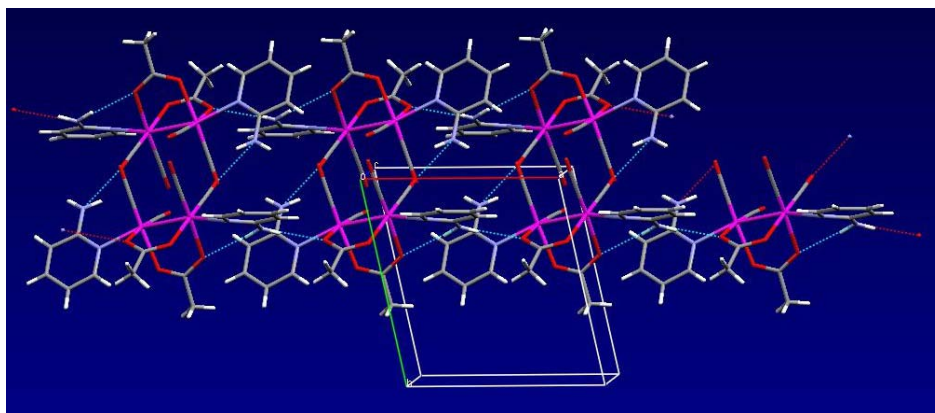


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Hall symbol: -P 1

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4092 reflections

305 parameters

4 restraints

Primary atom site location: structure-invariant
direct methods

Secondary atom site location: difference Fourier
map

Hydrogen site location: inferred from
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where $P = (F_o^2 + 2F_c^2)/3$
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Special details

Geometry. All e.s.d.'s (except the e.s.d. in the dihedral angle between two l.s. planes) are estimated using the full covariance matrix. The cell e.s.d.'s are taken into account individually in the estimation of e.s.d.'s in distances, angles and torsion angles; correlations between e.s.d.'s in cell parameters are only used when they are defined by crystal symmetry. An approximate (isotropic) treatment of cell e.s.d.'s is used for estimating e.s.d.'s involving l.s. planes.

Refinement. Refinement of F^2 against ALL reflections. The weighted R -factor wR and goodness of fit S are based on F^2 , conventional R -factors R are based on F , with F set to zero for negative F^2 . The threshold expression of $F^2 > \sigma(F^2)$ is used only for calculating R -factors(gt) *etc.* and is not relevant to the choice of reflections for refinement. R -factors based on F^2 are statistically about twice as large as those based on F , and R -factors based on ALL data will be even larger.

Fractional atomic coordinates and isotropic or equivalent isotropic displacement parameters (\AA^2)

	<i>x</i>	<i>y</i>	<i>z</i>	$U_{\text{iso}}^*/U_{\text{eq}}$
Ru1	0.81649 (3)	0.24089 (2)	0.32290 (2)	0.02656 (7)
Ru2	1.08333 (3)	0.18889 (2)	0.19130 (2)	0.02594 (7)
O1	0.7364 (2)	0.3021 (2)	0.17226 (17)	0.0342 (5)
O2	0.9619 (2)	0.3138 (2)	0.07518 (17)	0.0329 (5)
O3	0.8575 (2)	0.4451 (2)	0.30466 (18)	0.0344 (5)
O4	1.1011 (2)	0.3856 (2)	0.23392 (18)	0.0333 (5)
O5	1.2456 (3)	0.0260 (3)	0.3636 (3)	0.0683 (9)
O6	1.0494 (3)	−0.0786 (3)	0.1224 (3)	0.0630 (8)
O7	0.9554 (3)	0.1836 (3)	0.5242 (2)	0.0626 (8)
O8	0.7785 (3)	−0.0503 (3)	0.3327 (2)	0.0564 (7)
N1	0.5768 (3)	0.3439 (3)	0.3892 (2)	0.0330 (6)
N2	0.5285 (4)	0.1594 (4)	0.5101 (3)	0.0593 (10)
H21	0.462 (4)	0.125 (5)	0.558 (3)	0.075 (15)*
H22	0.623 (2)	0.126 (4)	0.509 (3)	0.055 (12)*
N3	1.2812 (3)	0.1995 (3)	0.0582 (2)	0.0300 (6)
N4	1.4300 (3)	0.2434 (4)	0.1744 (3)	0.0457 (8)
H41	1.513 (3)	0.266 (3)	0.180 (3)	0.027 (8)*
H42	1.346 (3)	0.286 (4)	0.214 (3)	0.052 (12)*
C1	0.8211 (3)	0.3464 (3)	0.0908 (3)	0.0297 (7)
C2	0.7477 (4)	0.4465 (4)	0.0084 (3)	0.0502 (10)
H2C	0.8104	0.5106	−0.0218	0.075*
H2B	0.6523	0.4961	0.0434	0.075*
H2A	0.7335	0.3968	−0.0493	0.075*
C3	0.9837 (4)	0.4731 (3)	0.2668 (2)	0.0304 (7)
C4	0.9936 (4)	0.6223 (4)	0.2581 (3)	0.0465 (9)
H4A	0.9275	0.6680	0.3185	0.070*
H4B	0.9649	0.6658	0.1906	0.070*
H4C	1.0946	0.6288	0.2595	0.070*
C5	1.1840 (4)	0.0895 (4)	0.2972 (3)	0.0399 (8)
C6	1.0606 (4)	0.0249 (3)	0.1502 (3)	0.0378 (8)
C7	0.8998 (4)	0.2024 (4)	0.4475 (3)	0.0379 (8)
C8	0.7921 (4)	0.0624 (4)	0.3286 (3)	0.0352 (7)

C10	0.4779 (4)	0.2826 (4)	0.4584 (3)	0.0390 (8)
C11	0.3250 (4)	0.3427 (4)	0.4776 (3)	0.0497 (10)
H11A	0.2576	0.2959	0.5224	0.060*
C12	0.2755 (4)	0.4707 (4)	0.4301 (3)	0.0517 (10)
H12A	0.1743	0.5128	0.4436	0.062*
C13	0.3765 (4)	0.5370 (4)	0.3618 (3)	0.0489 (9)
H13A	0.3452	0.6245	0.3291	0.059*
C14	0.5236 (4)	0.4711 (4)	0.3435 (3)	0.0412 (8)
H14A	0.5913	0.5160	0.2970	0.049*
C15	1.4171 (3)	0.2103 (3)	0.0748 (3)	0.0332 (7)
C16	1.5427 (4)	0.1841 (4)	−0.0085 (3)	0.0409 (8)
H16A	1.6372	0.1855	0.0053	0.049*
C17	1.5261 (4)	0.1569 (4)	−0.1093 (3)	0.0505 (10)
H17A	1.6091	0.1401	−0.1649	0.061*
C18	1.3843 (4)	0.1540 (4)	−0.1294 (3)	0.0494 (9)
H18A	1.3697	0.1393	−0.1985	0.059*
C19	1.2678 (4)	0.1736 (4)	−0.0435 (3)	0.0377 (8)
H19A	1.1735	0.1690	−0.0555	0.045*

Atomic displacement parameters (Å²)

	U^{11}	U^{22}	U^{33}	U^{12}	U^{13}	U^{23}
Ru1	0.02682 (13)	0.02788 (14)	0.02494 (13)	−0.00673 (10)	−0.00407 (10)	−0.00038 (10)
Ru2	0.02490 (13)	0.02492 (13)	0.02803 (14)	−0.00448 (9)	−0.00487 (10)	−0.00303 (10)
O1	0.0293 (11)	0.0447 (13)	0.0294 (12)	−0.0091 (10)	−0.0074 (9)	0.0013 (10)
O2	0.0301 (11)	0.0383 (12)	0.0293 (12)	−0.0069 (9)	−0.0041 (9)	−0.0003 (10)
O3	0.0332 (12)	0.0297 (12)	0.0388 (13)	−0.0067 (9)	−0.0013 (10)	−0.0047 (10)
O4	0.0315 (11)	0.0315 (12)	0.0377 (13)	−0.0077 (9)	−0.0041 (10)	−0.0071 (10)
O5	0.0615 (19)	0.074 (2)	0.0622 (19)	−0.0006 (16)	−0.0262 (16)	0.0256 (16)
O6	0.077 (2)	0.0413 (16)	0.078 (2)	−0.0230 (14)	−0.0076 (16)	−0.0192 (15)
O7	0.075 (2)	0.076 (2)	0.0434 (16)	−0.0142 (16)	−0.0308 (15)	0.0017 (14)
O8	0.0684 (19)	0.0389 (15)	0.0655 (19)	−0.0219 (13)	−0.0082 (15)	−0.0028 (13)
N1	0.0293 (13)	0.0368 (15)	0.0313 (15)	−0.0062 (11)	−0.0027 (11)	−0.0019 (12)
N2	0.045 (2)	0.061 (2)	0.059 (2)	−0.0081 (18)	0.0034 (18)	0.0204 (18)
N3	0.0297 (13)	0.0302 (14)	0.0302 (14)	−0.0054 (11)	−0.0058 (11)	−0.0031 (11)
N4	0.0318 (16)	0.068 (2)	0.0434 (18)	−0.0168 (15)	−0.0057 (14)	−0.0190 (16)
C1	0.0326 (17)	0.0295 (16)	0.0284 (16)	−0.0065 (13)	−0.0075 (13)	−0.0035 (13)
C2	0.045 (2)	0.054 (2)	0.048 (2)	−0.0058 (18)	−0.0134 (17)	0.0152 (18)
C3	0.0373 (17)	0.0317 (17)	0.0237 (16)	−0.0081 (14)	−0.0066 (13)	−0.0036 (13)
C4	0.051 (2)	0.0308 (18)	0.057 (2)	−0.0112 (16)	−0.0028 (18)	−0.0052 (17)
C5	0.0350 (18)	0.0360 (18)	0.046 (2)	−0.0048 (14)	−0.0042 (16)	−0.0012 (16)
C6	0.0365 (18)	0.0340 (19)	0.042 (2)	−0.0072 (14)	−0.0037 (15)	−0.0038 (15)
C7	0.0407 (18)	0.0364 (19)	0.0363 (19)	−0.0075 (15)	−0.0068 (15)	−0.0022 (15)
C8	0.0339 (17)	0.040 (2)	0.0324 (18)	−0.0100 (14)	−0.0040 (14)	−0.0023 (14)
C10	0.0405 (19)	0.045 (2)	0.0298 (18)	−0.0091 (16)	−0.0018 (14)	−0.0042 (15)
C11	0.0359 (19)	0.070 (3)	0.041 (2)	−0.0129 (18)	0.0046 (16)	−0.0108 (19)
C12	0.036 (2)	0.065 (3)	0.050 (2)	0.0042 (18)	−0.0065 (17)	−0.019 (2)
C13	0.044 (2)	0.046 (2)	0.052 (2)	0.0055 (17)	−0.0106 (18)	−0.0072 (18)

C14	0.0395 (19)	0.0378 (19)	0.044 (2)	−0.0043 (15)	−0.0044 (16)	−0.0060 (16)
C15	0.0309 (16)	0.0297 (16)	0.0388 (19)	−0.0058 (13)	−0.0049 (14)	−0.0053 (14)
C16	0.0285 (17)	0.046 (2)	0.048 (2)	−0.0087 (15)	−0.0017 (15)	−0.0082 (17)
C17	0.042 (2)	0.059 (2)	0.043 (2)	−0.0077 (18)	0.0120 (17)	−0.0123 (19)
C18	0.054 (2)	0.060 (2)	0.0326 (19)	−0.0084 (19)	−0.0032 (17)	−0.0113 (17)
C19	0.0367 (18)	0.0421 (19)	0.0349 (18)	−0.0073 (15)	−0.0062 (14)	−0.0073 (15)

Geometric parameters (Å, °)

Ru1—C8	1.833 (3)	N4—H41	0.874 (18)
Ru1—C7	1.834 (4)	N4—H42	0.882 (19)
Ru1—O1	2.131 (2)	C1—C2	1.502 (4)
Ru1—O3	2.132 (2)	C2—H2C	0.96
Ru1—N1	2.267 (3)	C2—H2B	0.96
Ru1—Ru2	2.6756 (7)	C2—H2A	0.96
Ru2—C6	1.830 (3)	C3—C4	1.499 (4)
Ru2—C5	1.837 (4)	C4—H4A	0.96
Ru2—O2	2.127 (2)	C4—H4B	0.96
Ru2—O4	2.133 (2)	C4—H4C	0.96
Ru2—N3	2.243 (3)	C10—C11	1.397 (5)
O1—C1	1.265 (4)	C11—C12	1.365 (6)
O2—C1	1.258 (4)	C11—H11A	0.93
O3—C3	1.260 (4)	C12—C13	1.377 (6)
O4—C3	1.262 (4)	C12—H12A	0.93
O5—C5	1.148 (4)	C13—C14	1.363 (5)
O6—C6	1.154 (4)	C13—H13A	0.93
O7—C7	1.151 (4)	C14—H14A	0.93
O8—C8	1.152 (4)	C15—C16	1.402 (5)
N1—C10	1.342 (4)	C16—C17	1.359 (5)
N1—C14	1.357 (4)	C16—H16A	0.93
N2—C10	1.351 (5)	C17—C18	1.396 (5)
N2—H21	0.880 (19)	C17—H17A	0.93
N2—H22	0.865 (19)	C18—C19	1.365 (5)
N3—C15	1.349 (4)	C18—H18A	0.93
N3—C19	1.355 (4)	C19—H19A	0.93
N4—C15	1.353 (4)		
C8—Ru1—C7	90.59 (15)	C1—C2—H2C	109.5
C8—Ru1—O1	95.02 (12)	C1—C2—H2B	109.5
C7—Ru1—O1	173.35 (12)	H2C—C2—H2B	109.5
C8—Ru1—O3	175.45 (12)	C1—C2—H2A	109.5
C7—Ru1—O3	91.21 (12)	H2C—C2—H2A	109.5
O1—Ru1—O3	82.94 (9)	H2B—C2—H2A	109.5
C8—Ru1—N1	98.68 (12)	O3—C3—O4	124.9 (3)
C7—Ru1—N1	102.03 (13)	O3—C3—C4	117.2 (3)
O1—Ru1—N1	80.68 (9)	O4—C3—C4	117.9 (3)
O3—Ru1—N1	85.03 (9)	C3—C4—H4A	109.5
C8—Ru1—Ru2	93.73 (10)	C3—C4—H4B	109.5

C7—Ru1—Ru2	93.02 (11)	H4A—C4—H4B	109.5
O1—Ru1—Ru2	83.07 (6)	C3—C4—H4C	109.5
O3—Ru1—Ru2	82.01 (6)	H4A—C4—H4C	109.5
N1—Ru1—Ru2	160.31 (7)	H4B—C4—H4C	109.5
C6—Ru2—C5	88.00 (16)	O5—C5—Ru2	179.0 (3)
C6—Ru2—O2	94.91 (13)	O6—C6—Ru2	178.3 (3)
C5—Ru2—O2	176.54 (13)	O7—C7—Ru1	176.7 (3)
C6—Ru2—O4	176.91 (12)	O8—C8—Ru1	179.1 (3)
C5—Ru2—O4	95.01 (13)	N1—C10—N2	118.7 (3)
O2—Ru2—O4	82.06 (9)	N1—C10—C11	121.6 (3)
C6—Ru2—N3	93.14 (13)	N2—C10—C11	119.6 (3)
C5—Ru2—N3	98.45 (13)	C12—C11—C10	119.4 (4)
O2—Ru2—N3	83.27 (9)	C12—C11—H11A	120.3
O4—Ru2—N3	87.11 (9)	C10—C11—H11A	120.3
C6—Ru2—Ru1	94.75 (11)	C11—C12—C13	119.4 (3)
C5—Ru2—Ru1	95.08 (11)	C11—C12—H12A	120.3
O2—Ru2—Ru1	82.83 (6)	C13—C12—H12A	120.3
O4—Ru2—Ru1	84.31 (6)	C14—C13—C12	118.4 (4)
N3—Ru2—Ru1	164.55 (7)	C14—C13—H13A	120.8
C1—O1—Ru1	119.59 (19)	C12—C13—H13A	120.8
C1—O2—Ru2	122.7 (2)	N1—C14—C13	123.8 (4)
C3—O3—Ru1	123.8 (2)	N1—C14—H14A	118.1
C3—O4—Ru2	119.6 (2)	C13—C14—H14A	118.1
C10—N1—C14	117.1 (3)	N3—C15—N4	118.5 (3)
C10—N1—Ru1	125.3 (2)	N3—C15—C16	120.7 (3)
C14—N1—Ru1	116.9 (2)	N4—C15—C16	120.8 (3)
C10—N2—H21	116 (3)	C17—C16—C15	119.8 (3)
C10—N2—H22	122 (3)	C17—C16—H16A	120.1
H21—N2—H22	120 (4)	C15—C16—H16A	120.1
C15—N3—C19	118.0 (3)	C16—C17—C18	119.9 (3)
C15—N3—Ru2	124.7 (2)	C16—C17—H17A	120.1
C19—N3—Ru2	116.7 (2)	C18—C17—H17A	120.1
C15—N4—H41	117 (2)	C19—C18—C17	117.4 (3)
C15—N4—H42	115 (3)	C19—C18—H18A	121.3
H41—N4—H42	118 (3)	C17—C18—H18A	121.3
O2—C1—O1	124.5 (3)	N3—C19—C18	124.0 (3)
O2—C1—C2	118.0 (3)	N3—C19—H19A	118.0
O1—C1—C2	117.5 (3)	C18—C19—H19A	118.0
C8—Ru1—Ru2—C6	16.29 (15)	C8—Ru1—N1—C14	−142.3 (3)
C7—Ru1—Ru2—C6	107.08 (15)	C7—Ru1—N1—C14	125.2 (3)
O1—Ru1—Ru2—C6	−78.32 (13)	O1—Ru1—N1—C14	−48.6 (2)
O3—Ru1—Ru2—C6	−162.12 (13)	O3—Ru1—N1—C14	35.0 (2)
N1—Ru1—Ru2—C6	−112.8 (2)	Ru2—Ru1—N1—C14	−13.9 (4)
C8—Ru1—Ru2—C5	−72.12 (15)	C6—Ru2—N3—C15	−123.6 (3)
C7—Ru1—Ru2—C5	18.67 (15)	C5—Ru2—N3—C15	−35.1 (3)
O1—Ru1—Ru2—C5	−166.73 (13)	O2—Ru2—N3—C15	141.8 (3)
O3—Ru1—Ru2—C5	109.47 (13)	O4—Ru2—N3—C15	59.5 (2)

N1—Ru1—Ru2—C5	158.7 (2)	Ru1—Ru2—N3—C15	115.8 (3)
C8—Ru1—Ru2—O2	110.66 (12)	C6—Ru2—N3—C19	46.8 (3)
C7—Ru1—Ru2—O2	−158.55 (12)	C5—Ru2—N3—C19	135.2 (2)
O1—Ru1—Ru2—O2	16.05 (9)	O2—Ru2—N3—C19	−47.8 (2)
O3—Ru1—Ru2—O2	−67.75 (9)	O4—Ru2—N3—C19	−130.2 (2)
N1—Ru1—Ru2—O2	−18.5 (2)	Ru1—Ru2—N3—C19	−73.9 (4)
C8—Ru1—Ru2—O4	−166.66 (12)	Ru2—O2—C1—O1	−5.0 (4)
C7—Ru1—Ru2—O4	−75.87 (12)	Ru2—O2—C1—C2	174.0 (2)
O1—Ru1—Ru2—O4	98.72 (9)	Ru1—O1—C1—O2	27.0 (4)
O3—Ru1—Ru2—O4	14.93 (9)	Ru1—O1—C1—C2	−152.0 (2)
N1—Ru1—Ru2—O4	64.2 (2)	Ru1—O3—C3—O4	0.8 (4)
C8—Ru1—Ru2—N3	136.7 (3)	Ru1—O3—C3—C4	179.3 (2)
C7—Ru1—Ru2—N3	−132.5 (3)	Ru2—O4—C3—O3	19.7 (4)
O1—Ru1—Ru2—N3	42.1 (3)	Ru2—O4—C3—C4	−158.7 (2)
O3—Ru1—Ru2—N3	−41.7 (3)	C14—N1—C10—N2	−176.3 (3)
N1—Ru1—Ru2—N3	7.6 (3)	Ru1—N1—C10—N2	13.4 (5)
C8—Ru1—O1—C1	−120.6 (2)	C14—N1—C10—C11	4.0 (5)
O3—Ru1—O1—C1	55.3 (2)	Ru1—N1—C10—C11	−166.4 (3)
N1—Ru1—O1—C1	141.4 (2)	N1—C10—C11—C12	−3.9 (6)
Ru2—Ru1—O1—C1	−27.4 (2)	N2—C10—C11—C12	176.3 (4)
C6—Ru2—O2—C1	81.3 (3)	C10—C11—C12—C13	1.6 (6)
O4—Ru2—O2—C1	−98.1 (2)	C11—C12—C13—C14	0.5 (6)
N3—Ru2—O2—C1	173.9 (2)	C10—N1—C14—C13	−1.8 (5)
Ru1—Ru2—O2—C1	−12.9 (2)	Ru1—N1—C14—C13	169.4 (3)
C7—Ru1—O3—C3	78.3 (3)	C12—C13—C14—N1	−0.4 (6)
O1—Ru1—O3—C3	−98.6 (2)	C19—N3—C15—N4	176.5 (3)
N1—Ru1—O3—C3	−179.8 (2)	Ru2—N3—C15—N4	−13.3 (4)
Ru2—Ru1—O3—C3	−14.6 (2)	C19—N3—C15—C16	−5.2 (5)
C5—Ru2—O4—C3	−117.7 (2)	Ru2—N3—C15—C16	165.0 (2)
O2—Ru2—O4—C3	60.4 (2)	N3—C15—C16—C17	4.5 (5)
N3—Ru2—O4—C3	144.0 (2)	N4—C15—C16—C17	−177.2 (4)
Ru1—Ru2—O4—C3	−23.1 (2)	C15—C16—C17—C18	−0.5 (6)
C8—Ru1—N1—C10	28.1 (3)	C16—C17—C18—C19	−2.7 (6)
C7—Ru1—N1—C10	−64.4 (3)	C15—N3—C19—C18	1.9 (5)
O1—Ru1—N1—C10	121.8 (3)	Ru2—N3—C19—C18	−169.1 (3)
O3—Ru1—N1—C10	−154.6 (3)	C17—C18—C19—N3	2.0 (6)
Ru2—Ru1—N1—C10	156.5 (2)		

Hydrogen-bond geometry (\AA , $^\circ$)

$D\cdots H\cdots A$	$D\cdots H$	$H\cdots A$	$D\cdots A$	$D\cdots H\cdots A$
N2—H21 \cdots O8 ⁱ	0.88 (2)	2.60 (2)	3.461 (4)	166 (4)
N2—H22 \cdots O5 ⁱⁱ	0.87 (2)	2.39 (3)	3.031 (5)	132 (3)
N4—H41 \cdots O1 ⁱⁱⁱ	0.87 (2)	2.17 (2)	3.032 (4)	171 (3)
N4—H42 \cdots O4	0.88 (2)	2.24 (3)	3.050 (4)	152 (3)

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